

”GROW TOGETHER”

From the board,

As the year 2020 comes to a close we may pause for a moment by all what has happened this past year. It is good to realize and to see that we have a God who leads us and had his eye upon us in this strange and turbulent year. When we realize that Cees and Thea



had quite a few plans in January for their furlough in Holland, how different it was in march. We got one after the other signal that Covid 19 was interrupting all of this. By the end of April we knew that the whole agenda for the Netherlands and all the programs for Rumania were going on hold. Improvising and handling the situation had now priority. This was certainly a big disappointment for Cees and Thea. All came to a stand still. Happily, we could count on you, our supporters who through their extra gifts made it possible to continue to pay the personal. So, in spite of the virus we experienced many blessings, for example the tiny house we build for Axinte. Thanks to this he can now stay this winter in his warm and comfy home. And as we consider the work and creativity of Cees, Thea, the personal and volunteers we can truly say that the virus has not been able to disrupt Gods work. We look forward to what 2021 is bringing us and pray for wisdom and for blessings to come. We, as board of the Antipas foundation thank all of you, volunteers, sponsors, prayer partners and followers for all that you have put in this past year. We wish you a merry X-mas and a blessed, prosperous and healthy 2021.



In the spotlight.  
We, Cees and Thea want to share our current situation with you. We are hit also by the Covid 19 virus. Thea caught it and was taken ill, but is recuperating from it. I caught a cold but got rid of it at the time the transport arrived. The driver of the transport got also Covid 19 and is very ill at this moment. Please pray for Thea and the driver. Thanks a lot.



From Cees and Thea,

Hello dear people. It has been a very special year for everyone. If there is anything we have learned this past year it is the pure mercy of our Lord that we may do this work. We have time and tie again



committed our plans into his hands. At this moment we are busy to give out firewood, food parcels and loaded shoeboxes from the Shoebox-action. This all is made possible through all the gifts we received from you. Thank you on behalf of all the people we have been able to bless before X-mas. Many people have helped, so also a Rumanian Lady, who lives in the Netherlands, who wants to bless her country in this way. In spite of all the measures which are here also in place we try to bring peace and joy, even when we keep our distance. We were able to invite a family each month who could use some support. Then they can choose some clothes for their kids and themselves. It is always a joy to see

their happy faces when they are going home. We thank the mother Theresa Foundation for the many clothes and the furniture for the magazine. Furthermore, we have seen how an evangelist is at work under the Roma population. Him we support as well by donating clothes.



When we look back on this strange year and we see what we were able to do in spite of the limitations, we are very grateful to our Lord for the mercies he has bestowed on us.

In closing we, Cees and Thea and all our workers wish you merry X-mas and a blessed and healthy 2021.

**Please pray for:**

- **Wisdom for all the work in 2021**
- **Recuperation for Thea and Gert, and all those hit by the virus.**
- **Cooperation with our partners in the Netherlands and Rumania**
- **Finances for the projects**
- **Health for Gheorghe.**

**Thanks for:**

- \* **For the work of all volunteers and partners**
- \* **For the donations from the PKN Reformed municipality from Barneveld, NLEG municipality Alphen a / d Rijn Baptist municipality Scheveningen and all other sponsors**

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